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## GOVERNMENT OF GOA

### Department of Education, Art & Culture

Directorate of Art & Culture

### Notification

Ref. No. DAC/3/Art Mat./08/09/4004

The Government of Goa is pleased to frame the following Scheme i.e.

1. **Short title and commencement.**— (i) This Scheme shall be called "Scheme to provide financial assistance to high schools in Goa for purchasing Art Material".

(ii) The Scheme shall come into force from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette and shall remain into force up to 31st March, 2013.

2. **Introduction.**— The Government of Goa has designed this Scheme in order to provide financial support to high Schools in Goa to purchase Art

Material required for the drawing/painting activity and programme prescribed for high school students.

3. **Objectives.**— (i) To support the high schools in their effort for promoting and developing art forms of drawing and painting in children.

(ii) To improve the standards of teaching and learning art forms like drawing and painting in schools.

4. **Eligibility.**— (i) Any high school in Goa (Government/Non-Government aided/Non-Government un-aided) shall be eligible under this Scheme provided it is recognized by the Government.

(ii) The high school should have atleast one well qualified Art teacher employed on permanent basis.

(iii) Drawing/painting should be one of the subjects and there should be substantial students having opted for the subject.

**5. Nature and Quantum of Assistance.**— (i) Under this Scheme, high schools shall be given financial assistance to purchase art material required to improve upon the standards of the teaching and learning art forms i.e. drawing & painting prescribed in the syllabus.

(ii) Under this Scheme, the high schools shall be eligible for financial assistance to the maximum extent of Rs. 5,000/- per high school per year.

(iii) The grant may be utilized for the purchase of art material like colours, paints, papers, other stationery items etc.

(iv) Every year a maximum of 50 new high schools i.e. maximum 25 high schools from North Goa and maximum 25 high schools from South Goa shall be selected under the Scheme.

**6. Application procedure.**— (i) Every year, the Directorate of Art and Culture shall *suo-moto* select not more than 50 high schools from Government, Non-Government aided and Non-Government un-aided high schools randomly, under the Scheme.

(ii) Application forms for the same shall be released to these high schools from the department.

(iii) The schools interested in availing benefit of the Scheme shall submit the forms within a stipulated time period with the following enclosures.

(a) Valid Government recognition certificate for the high school.

(b) Name and qualifications of the drawing teacher.

**7. Utilization Certificate.**— The high schools sanctioned grant under this Scheme shall strictly utilize the grant for the purpose it is sanctioned and shall produce the Utilization Certificate duly signed by the permanent drawing teacher, countersigned by the Headmaster/ Headmistress/ Principal alongwith the seal of the school.

**8. Disbursement procedure.**— Once acceptance with all the details is received from the schools, the Director of Art and Culture shall disburse the amount to the schools.

**9. Framing of guideline.**— For better implementation of this Scheme the Government

shall frame guidelines from time to time, if required.

**10. Relaxation.**— The Government is empowered to relax all or any of the clause provided in this Scheme, if found deemed fit, for reasons to be recorded.

**11. Interpretation.**— If any question arises regarding interpretation of any clause, word, expression or entire Scheme, then the decision about the interpretation shall lie with the Government.

**12. Redressal of Grievances.**— If any grievance arises, out of implementation of this Scheme then, the Minister for Art and Culture shall hear and decide such matter and the decision of the Minister of Art and Culture in this regard shall be final.

This has been issued with the concurrence of Finance Department under their U. O. No. 9092 dated 26-12-2008.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

**Prasad Lolayekar**, Director of Art & Culture & ex officio Joint Secretary.

Panaji, 14th January, 2009.

### Notification

Ref. No. DAC/4/DDKRF/2008/4005

The Government of Goa is pleased to frame the following Scheme i.e.

**1. Short title and commencement.**— (i) This Scheme shall be called "D. D. Kosambi Research Fellowship" Scheme.

(ii) This Scheme shall come into force from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette and shall remain in force upto 31st March, 2013.

**2. Introduction.**— The Scheme has been designed with an objective to encourage Goan scholars to undertake research in the field of social studies, history culture etc. Two fellowships shall be awarded one at junior & one at senior level each for research in the specified areas every year.

**3. Objectives.**— The Objectives of this Scheme are:

(i) To encourage the Goan scholars to undertake research in the areas of society, economy, polity, history and culture of Goa.

(ii) To create and develop research culture in the State of Goa.

(iii) To promote interdisciplinary research in colleges and university.

**4. Eligibility.**— (i) Any individual who has completed his/her post graduation and is below 30 years of age shall be eligible to undertake research in the junior category.

(ii) Any individual who has completed his/her Ph. D shall be eligible to undertake research in the senior category. There is no age bar applicable in this category.

(iii) In case of exceptionally talented scholar of proven record with authentic work at their credit, the rules regarding educational qualifications may be relaxed, if recommended by the Selection Committee.

(iv) The fellowship shall be awarded to any scholar only once in his life time under each category.

**5. Nature & quantum of Assistance.**— (i) Eligible scholars for junior category shall be awarded a fellowship varying between Rs. 60,000/- to Rs. 96,000/- per year (Rs. 5,000/- to Rs. 8,000/- per month) for a maximum period for 2 years, on case to case basis.

(ii) Eligible scholars for senior category shall be awarded a fellowship of Rs. 1,08,000/- to Rs. 1,44,000/- per year (Rs. 9,000/- to Rs. 12,000/- per month) for a maximum period for 2 years, on case to case basis.

(iii) Maximum two fellowships one in each category shall be awarded every year.

**6. Procedure for receiving recommendations.**— Every year the department of Art & Culture shall release a press advertisement inviting applications for the "D. D. Kosambi Research Fellowship" for scholars. The selection committee constituted for the purpose by Government from time to time shall select the scholars for the fellowship.

**7. Sub-Committee.**— A special committee shall be appointed by the Government to select the scholars for the Scheme.

**8. Framing of Guidelines.**— For better implementation of this Scheme Government may frame guidelines from time to time, if required.

**9. Relaxation.**— The Government reserves the right to relax all or any of the clauses provided in the Scheme. However, the reasons for the same shall be recorded on case to case basis.

**10. Interpretation.**— Issues relating to interpretation of any clause, word, expression or entire Scheme, shall finally lie with the Government of Goa.

**11. Redressal of Grievances and Dispute.**— Grievance if any arising out of implementation of this Scheme shall be heard by the Minister of Art & Culture and decide on the same. The decision of the Minister of Art & Culture in this regard shall be final and binding.

This has been issued with the concurrence of Finance Department under their U. O. No. 9092 dated 26-12-2008.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

**Prasad Lolayekar**, Director of Art & Culture & ex officio Joint Secretary.

Panaji, 14th January, 2009.

### Notification

Ref. No. DAC/2/Theatre Equip. Grant/08/4006

The Government of Goa is pleased to frame the following Scheme:—

**1. Short title and commencement.**— (i) This Scheme shall be called 'SCHEME TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IN FORM OF GRANT TO THE AMATEUR THEATRE GROUPS FOR PURCHASE OF THEATRE RELATED EQUIPMENTS FOR PRESENTATION OF DRAMA/TIATR, ETC'.

(ii) This Scheme shall come into force from date of its publication in the Official Gazette and shall remain in force up to March, 2013.

**2 Introduction.**— This Scheme has been designed by the Government of Goa in order to promote theatre groups/artists & preserve theatre art activities by providing them financial support for purchase of theatre related equipments.

**3 Objectives.**— (i) To encourage amateur theatre groups/Institution/Artist in theatre faculty.

(ii) To give financial support for organization of Theatre activities.

(iii) To preserve theatre art activities.

(iv) To equip the theatre groups to present shows in better way.

**4 Eligibility.**— (i) Registered under Society Registration Act, 1860 Groups/Institutes who are engaged in the field of theatre art for minimum 10 years and who are regularly participating in Drama/Tiatr competition organized by registered institutes at Village/Taluka/State/Interstate levels shall be eligible under the Scheme subject to the condition that they should have participated at least five times in State level drama/tiatr competition/festival organized by Kala Academy and should be active in the field for last 2 proceeding years. Authenticate evidence of the activities with regards to 10 years existence and 2 years active participation should be produced.

(ii) The Groups/Institution should consist minimum 20 members and should actively participate in theatre activities.

(iii) The Groups/Institution shall have regular theatrical performances.

(iv) If none of the groups are eligible for a particular financial year no grant shall be released during that year.

**5 Nature & Quantum of Assistance.**— (i) Under the Scheme the eligible theatre Groups/Institutions shall be given lumpsum grants/financial assistance to the maximum extent of Rs. 50,000/- per Group/Institution for purchase of theatre equipments.

(ii) For the first year 20 Groups/Institutions shall be considered for the benefit under the Scheme provided the Group/Institution fulfill the conditions as laid down. Grant will be released as per availability of funds. For subsequent years grants

shall be release as per the availability of eligible groups.

**6 Selection Procedure.**— Directorate of Art & Culture shall constitute a committee and the committee suo-moto will nominate the groups/Institutions working for the theatre every year for availing the benefit under this Scheme and will release the grant.

**7 Utilization Certificate.**— The grant should be utilized for the purpose for which it is sanctioned within a period of 3 months. The utilization certificate and audited statements of Accounts with seal of the Group/Institution should be submitted to the department within 6 months from the date of sanction of the grant.

**8 Disbursement of the grant.**— On recommendation of the sub-committee as per the terms & conditions the Director of Art & Culture shall obtain the Government approval and grant shall be released to the groups.

**9 Framing of Guidelines.**— For better implementation of this Scheme the Government shall frame guidelines from time to time, if required.

**10 Relaxation.**— The Government is empowered to consider genuine case by relieving all or any Clause provided in this Scheme, if found deemed fit.

**11 Interpretation.**— If any question arises regarding interpretation of any clause, word, expression or entire Scheme, then the decision about the interpretation shall lie with the Government.

**12 Redressal of Grievances.**— If any grievance arise, out of implementation of this Scheme then, the Minister of Art & Culture shall hear and decide such matter and the decision of the Minister for Art & Culture in this regard shall be final.

This has been issued with the concurrence of F. S. under their U. O. No. 9092 dated 26-12-2008.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

**Prasad Lolayekar**, Director of Art & Culture & ex officio Joint Secretary.

Panaji, 14th January, 2009.

**Addendum/Corrigendum**

Ref. No. DAC/3/Scheme-LTP/Amend/2008/4007

**Read:-** Notification No. DAC/3/Schemes/07 dated 15-4-2008 published in the Official Gazette, Series I No. 5 dated 2nd May, 2008.

In the above referred Notification regarding "Scheme to provide grant to the institutions for long term project in the field of Art & Culture, 2007" (Sarjansheel Goa) following Additions/Corrections shall be made.

**A) ADDITIONS**

(i) Under clause 1, 2, 3(ii), 6, note below clause 6, 8 and 9 the expression institution(s) may be read as institution(s)/individual(s).

**B) CORRECTIONS**

(I) Clause 5 shall be read as follows:

**5. Eligibility.— (a) For Institutions**

(i) Any institution registered under Society's Registration Act, 1860 or under Indian Trust Act are eligible for benefit under this Scheme.

(ii) To avail benefit under this Scheme the institution must be involved in long term project in the field of Art & Culture

**(b) For Individuals**

(i) Any individual from the Goan community, who is a resident of Goa for 15 years or more are eligible for benefit under this Scheme.

(ii) To avail benefit under this Scheme the individual must be involved in long term project in the field of Art & Culture and should have contributed at least 15 years in the relevant field.

(II) Clause 7 shall be read as follows:

**7. Application procedure—**

(a) The institution should apply in writing alongwith the following:

(i) A copy of Constitution/Bye laws/Rules and Regulations.

(ii) Registration Certificate.

(iii) Audited statement of accounts of last 3 preceding years duly signed by the Chartered Accountant.

(iv) Detailed project report of that particular long term project for which financial support is asked under this Scheme.

(v) Any other relevant documents.

(b) The individual should apply in writing alongwith the following:

(i) A copy of Residence Certificate of 15 years or more in Goa.

(ii) Detailed report of the contribution for the last 15 years to the relevant field of Art & Culture.

(iii) Detailed project report of that particular long term project for which financial support is asked under this Scheme.

(iv) Any other relevant documents.

This has been issued with the concurrence of Finance Department under their U. O. No. 9092 dated 26-12-2008.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

**Prasad Lolayekar**, Director of Art & Culture & ex officio Joint Secretary.

Panaji, 14th January, 2009.

**Corrigendum**

Ref. No. DAC/3/MG/08-09/4008

**Read:-** Notification No. DAC/3/Schemes/07 dated 15-4-2008 published in the Official Gazette, Series I No. 5 dated 2nd May, 2008.

In the above referred Notification regarding the Scheme to provide Grant-in-Aid to Cultural Organization, 2007, the following changes shall be made.

1. Clause 5 (a)(i) shall be read as follows:

(i) The eligible institutions shall be entitled for grant-in-aid to the extent of 80% of expenditure incurred by the institution for last financial year, subject to the maximum Ceiling (p. a.).

- (a) Maximum of Rs. 10,000/- for group 'H'.
- (b) Rs. 20,000/- for group 'G'.
- (c) Rs. 35,000/- for group 'F'.
- (d) Rs. 50,000/- for group 'E'.
- (e) Rs. 75,000/- for group 'D'.
- (f) Rs. 1,00 lakh for group 'C'.
- (g) Rs. 2,00 lakh for group 'B'.
- (h) Rs. 3,00 lakh for group 'A'.

2. Clause 8 shall be read as follows:

Under the Scheme the institutions shall be categorized in grades A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H by the committee to be constituted by the Government for the purpose of releasing the grants.

This has been issued with the concurrence of Finance Department under their U. O. No. 9092 dated 26-12-2008.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

**Prasad Lolayekar**, Director of Art & Culture & ex officio Joint Secretary.

Panaji, 14th January, 2009.

### Notification

Ref. No. DAC/3/KKN/4009

The Government of Goa is pleased to frame the "Kalakar Kritadnyata Nidhi" Scheme.

**•Short title and commencement.**— (1) This Scheme shall be called "KALAKAR KRITA - DNYATA NIDHI".

(2) This Scheme shall come into force from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette and shall remain in force upto 31st March, 2013.

**•Introduction.**— The Scheme envisages sanction of Financial Assistance to Aged Needy Goan Artists and their dependent family in indigent circumstances subject to fulfillment of eligibility criteria and conditions as laid down under the Scheme.

**•Definitions.**— (a) **Family:** Means Wife/Husband, Sons and Daughters who are wholly dependent on the eligible Goan Artist.

(b) **Government:** Means the Government of the State of Goa.

(c) **Sub-Committee:** Means a committee constituted by the Government for scrutinizing the

applications and suggesting the financial assistance.

(d) **Aged Needy Goan Artist:** Means an Artist recognized by the Directorate of Art & Culture, Government of Goa, whose age is not below 50 years and whose annual income from all the sources does not exceed Rs. 2.00 lakhs (except in the case of lumpsum grant).

**•Objectives.**— The financial assistance shall be sanctioned to the Aged Needy Goan Artist and the dependent family in indigent circumstances for the following:

(1) **Medical Treatment.**— To meet the expenses towards Major/Minor surgical treatment in the local or outstation hospitals and also to meet the expenses towards travelling and accommodation outside the State for the treatment for self and or wholly dependent family members subject to the conditions that:

(a) The estimate of expenditure from the authorized doctor/hospital shall be enclosed to the application. However in case of treatment availed or to be availed on emergency basis the estimate shall be submitted subsequently.

(b) The maximum financial assistance under this category shall not exceed Rs. 50,000/-, however, the Government may relax the ceiling in case of major chronic ailments'.

(c) The beneficiary shall not avail the benefit of medical reimbursement from any other Government Department or under any Schemes or policies for the medical treatment for which the financial assistance is granted under this Scheme.

(d) The details of the expenditure incurred alongwith the vouchers shall be furnished to the department after availing the treatment and the unutilized amount out of the sanctioned amount if any shall be refunded to the Government within 3 months from completion of the treatment.

2 **Marriage.**— To meet the expenses towards marriage of wholly dependent daughters shall be sanctioned subject to the following conditions:

(a) Maximum two wholly dependent unmarried daughters shall be eligible.

(b) Dependency certificate from the authorized authority shall be submitted.

(c) Maximum of Rs. 20,000/- shall be sanctioned for the first daughter's marriage and Rs. 15,000/- shall be sanctioned for the second daughter's marriage.

(d) The details of the expenditure incurred along with the vouchers shall be furnished to the department and unutilized amount out of the sanctioned amount if any shall be refunded to the Government within 2 months from the date of marriage.

**3. Compensation towards natural calamities.**— To meet expenses towards repair/construction of the house damaged due to natural calamities subject to the following conditions:

(a) Valuation report from the concerned Taluka Mamlatdar shall be submitted.

(b) The applicant shall not claim the benefit from any other sources for the same purpose.

(c) The quantum of financial assistance shall be maximum of Rs. 25,000/- or as per the valuation done by the concerned Taluka Mamlatdar, whichever is less.

**4. Financial Assistance for Funeral of the Artist.**— Financial assistance shall be sanctioned to meet the expenses in connection with the funeral of the Goan artist subject to the following conditions:

(a) Copy of the Death certificate shall be furnished within 2 months from the date of sanction of the financial assistance.

(b) Financial assistance upto maximum of Rs. 10,000/- shall be sanctioned.

**5. Scholarship/Incentives.**— Financial assistance in form of Scholarship/Incentives shall be sanctioned to the wards of Artists who are proceeding on higher education in the State and outside subject to the following:

(a) The wards of the recognized Goan artist should be enrolled in recognized educational institution for the Post Graduate, Degree or Professional courses.

(b) Documentary proof of admission in the recognized educational institution for the above courses and the Birth certificate shall be furnished alongwith the application.

(c) Financial assistance of Rs. 750/- p. m. during the currency of the academic year (excluding the

vacation period) shall be sanctioned to the eligible wards on half yearly basis.

**6. Incentive for Self Employment.**— Financial Assistance shall be provided to the needy goan artist or his/her family for self employment venture subject to the following:

(a) Financial Assistance not exceeding Rs. 50,000/- or the actual cost whichever is less shall be provided for setting up self employment venture.

(b) Certificate to the effect that the applicant is not employed or is not self employed from any Gazetted Officer shall be enclosed to the application.

(c) Estimate indicating the cost of the self employment venture from competent authority shall be submitted.

(d) Those applicants who have not availed the self employment benefits earlier under any Government Scheme, Autonomous bodies, Corporations etc. shall only be eligible for the financial assistance under above incentive.

**7. Lumpsum Grant.**— Financial Assistance in form of lumpsum grant Maximum of Rs. 20,000/- shall be provided on the Death of the Artists to the family subject to the following:

(a) Death certificate, Marriage certificate or any other document indicating the applicant to be the eligible family member shall be enclosed to the application.

(b) The wife/husband of the late artist shall be considered first for the grant. However, in case in the event of wife/husband predeceasing the late artist the benefit shall be passed on to the unmarried/unemployed sons/daughters of the deceased artist as the case may be in equal ratio.

(c) Those families whose annual family income is less than Rs. 25,000/- per annum from all the sources only shall be eligible for the grant under above category. Necessary income certificate will have to be produced from the competent authority.

**•Eligibility.**— The following shall be the eligibility conditions under Kalakar Kritadnyata Nidhi.

(a) Any Goan aged needy Artist, born and brought up in the State of Goa and recognized by the Directorate of Art & Culture, Government of Goa or his/her family.

(b) The Annual family income from all the sources should not exceed Rs. 2,00,000/- per annum except under lumpsum grant where in the annual family income limit shall be Rs. 25,000/-.

(c) The age limit for grant of the benefits shall be not less than 50 years in case of the eligible artist; however, the Government may relax the age criteria for deserving cases under special circumstances.

(d) All the relevant documentations like Birth certificate, marriage certificate, dependency certificates, income certificates, medical certificates etc. issued by the competent authorities as may be required under various objectives of the Scheme shall have to be enclosed failing which the applications shall be summararily rejected.

**•Nature and Quantum of Assistance.**— An amount of Rs.10.00 lakhs every year will be deposited in the Saving Bank Account opened in the nationalized bank to meet the requirements under the Scheme and the same will be disbursed to the needy artists as per criteria based on the selection/recommendation of the committee constituted by the Government for scrutinizing and sanction of grants to these needy artists. The case and amount to be sanctioned shall be decided by the committee. The said account will be operated by three signatories namely, the Secretary Art & Culture, Hon. Minister for Art & Culture and the Director of Art & Culture upto the financial year 2008-09.

From the Financial year 2009-2010, a separate Public Ledger Account (P. L. A.) shall be opened under which the funds of Rs. 10.00 lakhs earmarked for operation of the Scheme shall be deposited for operating the said Scheme.

**•Application procedure.**— Eligible Artist or the family or co-artist or any member of the public shall apply in prescribed proforma directly to the Directorate of Art & Culture, Shram Shakti Bhavan, 5th Floor, Patto, Panaji, Goa. The forms will be available during the working days at the office of the department.

**•Sub-Committee.**— The sub-committee constituted by the Government shall meet as and

when required and shall consider the applications received for this purpose. The sub-committee shall recommend the names of the artists in indigent circumstances to the Director of Art & Culture, which are considered fit by the sub-committee to avail the benefits under this Scheme.

**•Disbursement procedure.**— On receipt of application for grant under this Scheme, the Directorate of Art & Culture shall forward the application to the sub-committee for scrutinizing the application thoroughly and the Director of Art & Culture shall give its recommendations to the sub-committee, which shall decide the quantum of assistance to be released to the needy artist. After obtaining such Government approval, the Director of Art & Culture shall disburse the one time financial assistance amount to the eligible applicant in the form of cheque.

**•Framing of Guidelines.**— For better implementation of this Scheme, Government may frame guidelines from time to time, if required.

**•Relaxation.**— The Government is empowered to relax all or any clause provided in this Scheme, if found deemed fit, for reasons to be recorded.

**•Interpretation.**— If any question arises regarding interpretation of any clause, word, expression or entire Scheme, the interpretation and decision shall lie with the Government which shall be final and binding on all concerned.

**•Redressal of Grievances and Dispute.**— If any Grievance arises, out of implementation of this Scheme then, the Minister for Art & Culture shall hear and decide such matter and the decision of the Minister for Art & Culture in this regard shall be final.

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By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

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